

if they are I will be ready
to come at any time for ^{the} they
nothing for me do here
I am sure you tell me what do
about Mary and your own
judgment about that I don't
think you are to young if you
get a good chance for a ^{girl} I think
girls ought to marry the first
good chance they get for they
can't get chances like boys
I say if you can get a good
boy that you think will take
good care of you and make
you a good living you had ~~best~~
better take him if you love him
and if you don't love him you let
him alone and if you don't
think he loves you you do the same
I thought I would write this
tell but Opa is so sorry I don't
know so well about it so I will
stop for this time please excuse
all mistakes and write soon
Yours as ever C. W. Murphy